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In early June 1955, it was learned that Professor Skuin (fnu) who enjoys the confidence of Deputy Prime Minister Walter Ulbricht will be appointed as successor to Professor Hermann Henschmann, who is architect of the East Berlin Engineering Academy and that his buildings built by Professor Henschmann on the Stalinist were severely criticized by the Berlin laborers and students. It was noted that he is not up to Communist standards and were built on poor materials. Professor Skuin is an ethnic German from the Soviet Union who has been assigned missions by the East German government. He is an example built the theatre in Leningrad. Professor Skuin is a member of the Construction Academy in East Berlin. He is the son of a railway worker. Professor Skuin has been in Moscow and had been in the East German Academy in East Berlin. Since early May 1955, Professor Skuin has been in Moscow. He had not returned in early June 1955.

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